



Docket No.: 42390P10398

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

DAVID G. LEEPER

Application No.: 09/964,820

Filed: September 26, 2001

For: **APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR HANDOFF
IN A WIRELESS NETWORK**

Art Group: 2634

Examiner: H. Vartanian

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant for the above-identified application respectfully Petitions the Commissioner for a two (2) month extension of time, extending the period for response to August 26, 2004, from the Advisory Action dated August 05, 2004. The petition filing fee of \$420.00 and a Notice of Appeal are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

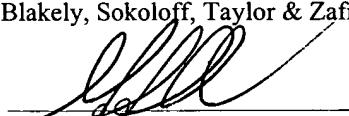
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